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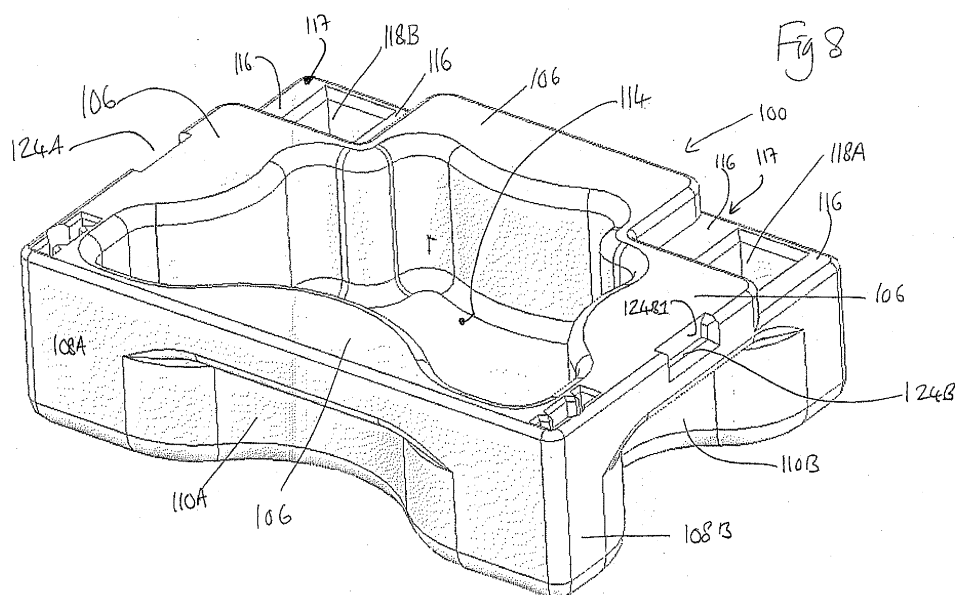
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(54) **Blind fittings and tools, components and method therefor**

(57) A tool (100) for use in locating in its position of use a supporting device for a window blind apparatus, the supporting device comprising at least one laterally projecting portion adapted to slide in use between a glass pane and a resilient retaining bead which bears against the glass pane, the tool comprising a body portion (102) and a cavity (118A, 118B) configured to receive therein a first portion of said supporting device such that the lat-

erally projecting portion of the supporting device projects from the body portion of the tool, whereby the supporting device can be urged by use of the tool to move in a direction effective to insert said laterally projecting portion between the glass pane and the bead. Also disclosed are a method of using the tool and a kit of parts including the tool.





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